

Appendix table 3-14

Bachelor's degrees awarded to American Indians/Alaskan Natives by all institutions and tribal institutions: 1990–98

Field	1990	1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
Number of degrees awarded									
All institutions, total science and engineering.....	1,271	1,344	1,561	1,819	2,004	2,126	2,268	2,419	2,533
Sciences.....	1,125	1,186	1,379	1,643	1,786	1,905	2,025	2,157	2,280
Physical sciences ^a	73	69	63	93	83	98	104	100	106
Mathematics and statistics.....	45	43	46	55	59	58	53	56	66
Computer science.....	84	80	79	81	78	110	89	97	106
Agricultural sciences.....	59	53	60	64	109	124	139	148	153
Biological sciences.....	130	176	181	211	246	285	316	339	399
Psychology.....	211	235	311	335	394	407	470	496	515
Social sciences.....	523	530	639	804	817	823	854	921	935
Engineering.....	146	158	182	176	218	221	243	262	253
Tribal institutions, total science and engineering.....	5	5	0	0	7	7	14	24	16
Sciences.....	5	5	0	0	7	7	14	24	16
Physical sciences ^a	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Mathematics and statistics.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Computer science.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agricultural sciences.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	7	3
Biological sciences.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Psychology.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Social sciences.....	5	5	0	0	7	7	12	17	13
Engineering.....	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tribal institution share of total bachelor's degrees to American Indians/Alaskan Natives (percent)									
Total science and engineering.....	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.3	0.6	1.0	0.6
Sciences.....	0.4	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.4	0.7	1.1	0.7
Physical sciences ^a	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Mathematics and statistics.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Computer science.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Agricultural sciences.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	4.7	2.0
Biological sciences.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Psychology.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Social sciences.....	1.0	0.9	0.0	0.0	0.9	0.9	1.4	1.8	1.4
Engineering.....	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0

^aIn this table, the physical sciences include the earth, atmospheric, and ocean sciences, as well as physics, astronomy, and chemistry. See notes for more information.

NOTES: Racial/ethnic data for degree recipients were collected on broad fields of study only until 1994; thus, the trend data could not be adjusted to the exact field taxonomies used by the National Science Foundation.

SOURCE: Tabulations by National Science Foundation, Division of Science Resources Statistics; data from U.S. Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics, Integrated Postsecondary Education Data System, Completions Survey, various years.